

Mr. G. H. Cave, director, Lloyd Botanic Garden. This Himalayan plant resembles in many respects the well-known Japanese anemone. The woolly foliage, however, is thicker and larger. The large flowers are pure white, and are produced very freely during the summer months. This plant is not quite so hardy as its Japanese relative. (Adapted from Gardeners' Chronicle, Feb. 24, 1917, p. 88.)

*Arundinella hispida* (Poaceae), 47641. **Grass.** From Darjeeling, India. A collection of seeds presented by Mr. G. H. Cave, director, Lloyd Botanic Garden. A perennial grass, with a stout, hard, creeping rootstock, and with a simple or branched stem from 1 to 5 feet in length. The leaves are narrow or broad and from 6 to 12 inches long, and the panicles are 4 to 18 inches in length. This grass is abundant throughout the hilly parts of India, and is distributed through the East Indies, South Africa, Australia, and tropical America. In São Paulo, Brazil, it is considered a good forage plant for dry lands. (Adapted from Correa, Flora do Brazil, p. 128; and Hooker, Flora of British India, vol. 7, pp. 73, 74.)

*Berberis insignis* (Berberidaceae), 47645. **Barberry.** From Darjeeling, India. A collection of seeds presented by Mr. G. H. Cave, director, Lloyd Botanic Garden. "This magnificent species forms a large bush, with deep green leaves 7 inches long, and bunches of yellow flowers." (Hooker, Himalayan Journals, vol. 1, p. 340, 1855.)

*Bucklandia populnea* (Hamamelidaceae), 47649. From Darjeeling, India. A collection of seeds presented by Mr. G. H. Cave, director, Lloyd Botanic Garden. A large evergreen tree, up to 80 feet in height, native to the eastern Himalayas at altitudes of 3,000 to 8,000 feet. The wood is grayish brown, close grained, and durable, and is very much used in Darjeeling for planking and for doors and window frames. (Adapted from Watt, Dictionary of the Economic Products of India, vol. 1, p. 545.)

*Buddleia asiatica* (Loganiaceae), 47650. From Darjeeling, India. A collection of seeds presented by Mr. G. H. Cave, director, Lloyd Botanic Gardens. A graceful, large shrub or small tree, common throughout India and the Malay Peninsula, ascending to 6,000 feet